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AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 12, 2006, the following response is submitted.

Amendments to the Claims are shown in the listing of the claims beginning at page 2.

Remarks begin at page 6.